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RAJYA SABHA SECRETARIAT

PUBLIC NOTICE
OF
Election to the office of President of India

WHEREAS a notification under sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Presidential and Vice-Presidential Election Act, 1952, for the holding of an election to fill the office of President of India has been issued by the Election Commission, I, B.N. Banerjee, the Returning Officer for such election, do hereby give notice that—

(i) Nomination papers may be delivered by a candidate or any one of his proposers or seconders to the undersigned at his office in Room No. 29, Ground Floor, Parliament House, New Delhi, or if he is unavoidably absent, to Shri S.S. Bhalerao, Assistant Returning Officer and Joint Secretary, Rajya Sabha Secretariat, at the said office between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. on any day (other than a public holiday) not later than the 30th July, 1974;

(ii) each nomination paper shall be accompanied by certified copy of the entry relating to the candidate in the electoral roll for Parliamentary constituency in which the candidate is registered as an elector;

(iii) every candidate shall deposit or cause to be deposited a sum of rupees two thousand five hundred only. T is amount may be deposited in cash with the Returning Officer at t e time of presentation of the nomination paper or deposited earlier in the Reserve Bank of India or in a Government Treasury and in the latter case a receipt showing that the said deposit of the sum has been so made is required to be enclosed wit the nomination paper;

(iv) forms of nomination papers may be obtained from the above said office at the times aforesaid;

(v) the nomination papers, other than those rejected under sub-section (4) of section 5B of the Act, will be taken up for scrutiny at the said office in Room No. 29, Ground Flpor, Parliament House; New Delhi, on Wednesday, the 31st. July, 1974, at 11 a.m.;

(vi) the notice of wit drawal of candidatures may be delivered by a candidate, or any one of his proposers or seconders who has been authorised in this behalf in writing by the candidate, to the undersigned at the place specified in paragraph (i) above before three o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, the 2nd. August, 1974;

(vii) in the event of the election being contested, the poll will be taken on Saturday the 17th. August, 1974, between the hours from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. both inclusive, at the places of polling fixed under the rules.

B.N. Banerjee,
Returning Officer for the
President Election and
Secretariat—General, Rajya Sabha.

New Delhi.
Dated the 16th. July, 1974.

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